

Private Remote Sensing License Summary

On February 2, 2010 the National Environmental Satellite, Data and Information Service of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, an agency of the Department of Commerce, granted a license to DISH Operating L.L.C. to operate a private, commercial, space-based, remote sensing system named "EchoStar 11." This license was previously issued on March 7th, 2007 under a different corporation name. EchoStar 11 is a telecommunications satellite that carries a camera to take low-resolution full disk images of the Earth from geostationary orbit. EchoStar 11 was successfully launched in July 2008. Imagery is available in near-real time via Earth Channel on Dish Network™.

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